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Land Use Comprehensive Plan Task Force

Meeting # 4 - Residences

May 9, 2007

5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Rondo Community Library meeting room 461 North Dale Street (at the corner of University)

Meeting objective:

Residential Land Use – establishing a framework for new residential development that provides for growth of population and households while preserving Saint Paul's unique character as a city of predominately single-family homes.

5:00 - 5:05	Welcome and introductions
	Rich Kramer, chair of the Land Use Comprehensive Plan Task Force
5:05 – 6:15	Roundtable discussion on the following issues:
	 Where should new housing be located? Corridors? Near commercial centers? Downtown?
	How dense should new housing be?
	 What balance between established single-family neighborhoods and denser multiple-family development will foster stability while, at the same time, provide for growth?
	Thoughts about different types of housing – townhouses, stacked flats. Other issues related to housing types – i.e., opponents of denser housing inevitable criticize heights; to achieve growth, what is the response to these issues?
	 What other factors – not mentioned in the task force materials – are important to commerce?
	Task Force members, resource guests and PED staff
6:15 – 6:30	Status of policies for residential land use in the existing Land Use plan.
	Are these policies still valid?
	What policies are missing?
	Task Force members and PED staff
6:45 – 6:50	Preparing for the May 30 discussion on the "livable city" – potential topics. (To
	be distributed at the meeting.)
	Task Force members and PED staff
6:50 – 7:00	Open comment time
	Rich Kramer, chair of the Land Use Comprehensive Plan Task Force